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WILL THEY SMOTHER IT?

The Senate Judiciary Committee Vote at First to Report the Children's Bill Favorably.

But Afterwards the Influence of the Bureaucrats Was Brought to Bear, and This Measure of Justice Was Held in Committee.

How Long Will an Outraged Public Sentiment Endure the Autocratic Assumption of Gerry and His Contingent?

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)
ALBANY, May 15.—The Evening World bill a measure of simple justice—providing for an appeal in the case of children committed by police magistrates to the care of charitable and reformatory institutions was considered in the Senate Judiciary Committee yesterday.

Senator Cantor made a strong speech in its favor, showing how it had already passed the Assembly, and was a most meritorious measure, not designed in any way to interfere with the good work of these societies, but meant solely to meet cases where an injustice had been done to parents and children.

There was at first little opposition to this bill,
Mr. Elbridge T. Gerry evidently feeling sure
that he had already secured a majority of the

committee.

But in this he was mistaken, for when the roll was called on the motion to report the bill the votes was a tie, as follows; Yess—Messrs, Ives, Feley, Kellogg and Laughin; nays—Messrs. Robertson, Haines, Vedder and Pierce.

A second roll-call was had with the same result, the third voll-call Senator Pierce refrained.

On the third roll-call Senator Pierce refrained On the third roil-call sensior Pierce retrained from voting, and the friends of the bill felt that they had wou a hard-carned victory. They de-parted than, believing that their cause was secure, but in their absence the vote was recon-sidered. This time the roil-call again resulted in a tie, and the bill still remains in the Com-

ATTACKING MAHONEY'S WILL

THE BROOKLYN CONGRESSMAN'S SISTERS ALLEGE UNDUE INFLUENCE.

Surrogate Abbott, of Kings County this morn ing opened the hearing of evidence in the con-test over the will of the late Congressman Peter Paul Mahoney, who died in Washington last March.

The contestants are the two sisters of the late Congressman, Mrs. Prendergast and Mrs. Lucie Congressman, Mrs. Prendergastand Mrs. Lucie Cabill. They claim that undue influence was used upon the testator whom the will was signed. Counsellor Patrick Ready appeared for the contestants, while ex-Recorder Smith, of New York, is looking after the interest of Mrs. Mahoney, in whose favor the will was drawn. The witnesses to the will were all present in Court this morning, having come from Washington to give their testimony. They are Dr. John P. Burwell, Miss Margaret Watkins and the purse Partion.

John P. Burwell, sines margaret watains and the nurse Barton.

Dr. Buiwell testified to having been called in to attend Mr. Mahoney during his illness in the Arimgton Hotel at Washington, D. C., last March. He was called in to consult with Dr. Sauer, who was attending the sick man. He had never seen Mr. Mahoney before to his knowledge.

when he first saw Congressman Mahoney on the night of March 20 Mr. Mahoney on thought, was somewhat flighty. That is, his mind seemed to be wandering. He identified the will and maintained that when Mr. Mahoney signed it he was perfectly rational.

He said he had read the will over to Mr. Mahoney, who replied that that was his wish, meaning the will.

LOOKS LIKE A CUP RACE.

Dunraven's Letters Said to Contain Nothing to Cause Serious Trouble.

Judging from the good humor of the New York Yacht Club's Cup Committee and remarks dropped by three of them, there is very evidently nothing in the last letters of Lord Dunraven and the Royal Yacht Squadron which is unsatisfactory to the committeemen who have read them, and therefore likely to prevent the race for the America Cup from taking place.

Commodore James D. Smith. Chairman of the Cup Committee, said to-day that he would present the letter he rec. ived by the Servia to the meeting of the Club to-morrow evening, when it will be read and discussed, and acted upon without any formal meeting of and report from the Committee, the majority of the members of which are out of town and cannot be got together in the mean time.

New York Yacht Club members who were seen to-day expressed the belief that the Royal Yacht Squadron would accept the terms made in the third deed of gift regarding the holding of the America Cup. rayen and the Boyal Yacht Squadron which is

WAS IT A DRUNKEN SPREE?

An Unknown Woman Found Nearly Lifeless in Rahway.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.)
ELIZABETH, N. J., May 15.—The City of Rah way, N. J., is intensely excited to-day over an-

other alleged mystery.

At 5 o'clock this morning the body of a handsome woman was found lying near a clump of trees on Main street, near Hazelwood avenue, and about one hundred feet from the residence

of Capt. Isane A. Bunn. She was still breathing, but life was nearly

She was still breathing, but life was nearly extinct.

She wore a maroon-colored dress with a stylish sacque, and had on high lace shoes, brown stockings and a jounty hat.

She is about twenty-five years old, 5 feet 4 inches tall and finely developed.

All her clothing was of excellent quality. The was taken to the station-house, and after four hours' work the doctor succeeded in partly restoring her to consciousness, but she is yet unable to talk.

Her name, it is said, is Catherine Connors, and she is a waiter of New Brunswick.

The prevailing idea seems to be that the woman is suffering from the effects of a prolonged spree.

Baseball To-Day. THE LEAGUE.

Cleveland with New York at Staten Island. First hurg at Boston. Indianapolis at Washington. Chicago at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION. Baltimore at St. Louis. Brooklyns play a postponed game at Cincin-

ATLANTIC ASSOCIATION. Jersey City at Lowell. Newark at Worcester. Wilkesbarre at New Haven. Faston at Hartford.

He Has Selected the Fine Mansion, No. 816 Madison Avenue.

and Landlord.

The Ex-President Has Leased for Two Years, with Option of Purchase.

Citizen Grover Cleveland has finally decided to settle down permanently in Gotham and has selected his place of future residence.

It is a fine and imposing mansion, at 816 Madison avenue, and adjoins the magnificent residence of Banker Henry G. Marquand. at the corner of Sixty-eighth street and Madison avenue, who becomes the ex-President's landlord under the agreement which has just been entered into.

Mr. Cleveland has not bought the house, but has taken a lease of it for two years, and it is understood that if he is satisfied with it he will purchase it at the expiration of that time.

"Yes, "said Mr. Marquand to a reporter of THE EVENING WORLD who called at his house this morning, "Mr. Cleveland and his wife are to become my tenants, and I am very glad to have such good neighbors.

"I have always wanted to sell that house, but as I could not get the right sort of a tenant it has been unoccupied ever since it was built.

"On that account Het it to Mr. Cleveland at a very reasonable rental, much less, in fact, than I would have done last year, or any previous year." Mr. Cleveland has not bought the house, but

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"Will Mr. Cleveland take possession immediately?"

'Oh, no, the lease is not to commence until the lat of September. A great deal has got to be done in the way of fixing up and it will take all Summer to do it.

'I am auxious that Mr. Cleveland should be perfectly satisfied with the house, and would like to have him become a purchaser. It's a pretty expensive house, though, and perhaps he hasn't the means to nurchase it now.

The residence selected by Mr. Cleveland is one of the two house that were built by Mr. Marquand six years ago on Madison avenue adjoining his own house.

One of these has already been occupied by Mr. Marquand's daughter, but Mr. Cleveland's has never had a tenant.

In its general style and appearance it corresponds with the Marquand mansion, being of pressed brick, with light brown-stone trimmings. It is five stories high, has a froutace of 30 feet on Madison avenue and a depth of 73 feet.

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The front is irregular in the style of its architecture, and is broken at the north gable by a
squa e turret of light sandstone.
Wide double windows in the first and second
floors add to the massion and the wide front door
of carved oak is approached from the side by a
stone porch.

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The adjoining building. No. 814, which is occupied by Mr. Marquand's damphter is very similar in appearance without being an exact cuplication, and the two together at first glance appear to be only an extension on Madison avenue of the Marquand mansion, so completely does the style of the three correspond.

It was ascertained that after Mr. Marquand built the house it was for sale several years, the lowest price that the owner would accept being \$110,000.

It could probably be purchased at the present time for \$100,000, and in the ounion of a number of real-estate dealers in that vicinity the property is fully worth that.

Mr. Cleveland will furnish the house himself as soon as its roady for occupancy.

Workmen were busy on it this morning and evidently no time is to be lost in putting it in order.

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GRANT IS STILL SANGUINE.

THE MAYOR BELIEVES HIS RAPID TRANSIT RILL WILL PASS TO-MORROW.

Mayor Grant said, on his arrival at the City Hall this morning, that he should make no ap-

This was looked upon as confirmation of the rumor that the Mayor is calmly waiting for the

rumor that the Mayor is calmly waiting for the Legislature to pass his Rapid Transit bill before its adjournment to-morrow, when he will announce the appointments, among whom will be at least one and possibly two kepublicans. Indeed the Mayor made admissions which strengthened the rumor.

He said that he had strong hopes of the passage of his rapid transit measure before the Legislature's adjournment, and that he has received assurance from Albany which leads him to believe that the bill will be passed to-morrow. All sorts of rumors have been aroused by this staten ent.

One continues Stepnen B. French as a Police Commissioner and retains Police Justices Patterson and Smith on the bench.

According to one story Smith and Patterson are to be appointed to full terms and Tammany men are to fill the vacancies created by their resignation, thus allowing Tammany Hall to control the organization and patronage of the Board of Police Justices.

If another story is to be believed both Smith and Patterson are to be dropped and two other Republicans are to have the Police Justiceships.

There are Clarence W. Meade, Assemblyman Fred Gibbs's friend in the Thirteenth District, and Police Inspector Henry Steers.

THREW HERSELF BEFORE A TRAIN.

A Distracted Brooklyn Woman Saved from Death by Her Husband.

Mrs. Kate Leeh, thirty years old, living at 286 Stagg street, Brooklyn, attempted to commit suicide this morning by throwing herself in front of an approaching train on the South Side livision of the Long Island Bailway, in

division of the Long Island Ballway, in Williamsburg.
Her husband saw her go out of the house and followed her. He rescued her from her perilous position. He took her to the Bixth Precinct Station-House, whore a charge of attempted suicide was made against her. Mrs. Leeh says she is tired of living and wants to die. She is believed to be insane.

Blanc Was a Bigamist.

ISPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD, I CINCINNATI, May 15.—It now transpires that the pyrotechnist, Hlanc, who shot his wife, his daughter and himself on Sunday, was a bigamist, having a wife and children in the West Indies. He was also married once in Boston, but got a divorce by fraud.

A Little Baseball Chit-Chut.

Tim Keefe is waiting for warmer weather. When the G auts be in to hit the ball they will

win games.

Brooklyn has taken its expected brace. The Giants will soon do likewise.

If Foster does not hit the ball, he manages to get first once or twice during a game.

Westerners seem harder to beat while babies than after they get their growth. This will be proven when Anson & Co. arrive.

The season has but just begun and New York is in fifth place. That is not a fit should be, but it is the end of the season that counts. Ne ther Titcomb nor Foster has been released by New York. Wagenburst still continues a Giant, all reports to the contrary notwithstand-

Quick Time to Washington and the West. Via the Baltimone and Onto Rathmond's New Through Pit man Service to Chicago, Cincinnati and bt. Louis.

Startling Developments Looked For Legisl tors at Albany Fill Them at Miss Tobin's Inquest.

Banker Henry G. Marquand His Neighbor Detectives Searching for Some Clue to The Police Matron Bill Passed by the the Mystery.

> No Trace Can Be Found of Her Affianced Lover.

The body of Mary Tobin, which was found on the rocks off the Clifton Boat Club House just above the Quarantine station, Staten Island, still lies in Coroner Hughes's morgue at Staple-

Although her relatives in Pennsylvania have been notified none of them have as yet called to take charge of her body, and it seems as though the poor wirl had been descried and forgotten. Coroner Hughes said this morning that the inquest would positively not be held to-day, and would not be held until the parts supposed to contain traces of poison have been completely analyzed and the result of the examination made known to him.

Both Coroner Hughes and Dr. Feeney refuse to say whom they suspect, but it is evident they believe the woman met with foul play.

Two detectives were at Clifton to-day looking after cines. The police have also been asked to follow up the case.

It was supposed that the last seen of the girl aliye was when she left Dr. Bryan's house and took the train for St. George on April 15.

Mrs. Robert Hillyer, wife of a prominent merchant of West New Brighton, claims to have seen Miss Tobin two weeks after her disappearance.

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On April 29, the day of the naval parade, Mrs. Hillyer was on a horse-car bound for St. George when she saw Miss Tobin walking on the side-walk with another woman and a little girl.

Mrs. Hillyer is positive that the woman she saw was Mis. Tobin, and was surprised at seeing her, as she thought she had left the town two weeks before.

Additional facts gleaned make the mystery surrounding the girl's death all the more impenetrable.

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It now appears that Miss Tobin and Dr. Robinson, by whom she was employed, had known each other for many years, both having spent a considerable portion of their lives in Franklin. Ps.

Dr. Robinson says that the girl first came to New Brighton in 1885, when she accompanied a cousin of his and a sick child. Miss Tobin told him that she would like to secure a position in the Bellewu Training School for Nurses.

He left a few days later for the Bay of Fundy, and upon his return, early in 1887, his office assistant left and Miss Tobin entered his employ. The doctor says that he never really liked the girl, as he was disappointed in her. Instead of being highly educated, as he had been given to understand, she was in reality quite ignorant. She acted queer on religious subjects. When she came to Staten Island she was a Methodist then she read Bob Ingersoll's works and became a "rank infidel," to use Dr. Robinson's excession, after which she again turned and became a High Church Episcopallan.

She said she was going to join a sisterhood, but had evidently given up that idea, as she had said recently that she was going to be married in the Fall.

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Dr. Robinson, in speaking of the marriage, said that he knew the prospective bridegroom. He described him as a good-looking man with a handsome beard, and, according to Miss Tobin, he was a New York broker.

There will probably be startling developments at the inquest.

FELL WITH AN ELEVATOR.

The Rope Broke and Young Goodson Wes

Dashed Down Four Stories. Arthur Goodson, eighteen years old, of 279 Baltic street, Brooklyn, received internal this morning through the breaking of the elevator rope at 163 Maiden lane, ing of the elevator rope at 103 states take, which precipitated him from the fourth story to the ground floor.

An ambulance was summoned and an ambulance surgeon attended to the injured man.

It was thought advisable to leave the patient in the building, and he was not removed to the bosoital.

FAILED AND ABSCONDED.

Bull Operator on the London 'Change in

Trouble. [BT CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.] LONDON, May 15 .- A heavy bull operator, whose name is witcheld for the present, has

He dealt principally in South Africans, but ad extensive transactions in British rails and frank Trunks. He has absconded, leaving his affairs in con-

Two Little Fires.

Fire at 100 Sheriff street, in Boardman & Ginting's tailor shop and M. Silberna's tailor shop this morning, did \$1,000 damage.

A shed on the new Aqueduct at One Hundred and Fortieth street, burned this morning. Loss \$500.

The Quotations. American Cotton Oil. Open High Low.

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CLEVELAND'S HOME WAS SHE POISONED? THEIR LAST HOURS. HANDICAP DAY

with Much Hustling.

Senate To-Day.

Also Another Big Appropriation Bill for Capitol Improvements.

ALBANY, May 15.—As this is practically the last business day of the session, for to-morrow

adjournment will come at noon, it is likely that the legislators will not seek their couches until long after midnight. There are great crowds of lobbyists in the

orridors, and in the Assembly chamber the members tread on each others toes in their eagerness to forward their own bills.

The man with a trumpet-voice is the envy of all his fellows, for who ever yells loudest is most likely to attract the attention of the

an his fellows, for who ever years louders is most likely to attract the attention of the speaker.

Every now and then there is a fierce pounding of the mallet to gain some kind of order, but the storm soon breaks forth again.

In the Senate there is a great calm. The members of the upper House have disposed of all their own bills, and the Clerk is rathing through a great rile of Assembly bills.

The ladies' gallery is well filled.

One important bill has just been passed by the Senate. It is that which directs that two matrons shall be employed in every police station-house in the State which receives females. It also directs that the sexes shall be lodged in different parts of the station-houses.

A new Capitol improvement bill was also passed by the Senate. It appropriates \$372,000 to be expended under the direction of the Capitol Commission, consisting of Lieut.-Gov. Jones, Senator Fassett, Speaker Cole and Commissioner Perry.

DID THE AUTOPSY KILL HIM?

MIND-READER BISHOP'S FAMILY MAKE THAT ASSERTION.

The aged mother of Washington Irving Bishop, the mind-reader, who died at the Lamb's Club on Monday, lay upon a bed in a small room in the Hoffman House this morning, surrounded by a half-score of friends who had called to comfort her in her grief at the loss of her son.

The old lady was very much affected and cried out that her son had been killed. Mr. Manning spoke some words of comfort, but was unsuc essful in quieting her. "Oh, my poor darling, they have killed you," she moaned, and then straightening up she ex-

"I expect to die; this has given me my deathblow; but remember, he was the most devoted, blow; but remember, he was the most devoted, true-hearted and honest son ever born. He was generous, kind and noble."

She believes that Bishop was killed by the doctor's knives. She mentioned instances when the mind-reader had been similarly affected and said that he had often begged her never to allow the doctors to cut him until decomposition had begun.

claimed:

had begun.

As The Evening World reporter was about to leave, Mrs. Bishop clasped his hand and spoke As the Evenion would reporter was about to leave, Mrs. Bishop clasped his hand and spoke of the good qualities of her son. She became greatly excited, and when friends attempted to quiet her she fell back to the bed in a dead faint. It was several minutes before

in a dead faint. It was several minutes before she revived.

Mrs. Washington Irving Bishop, widow of the minute reader, is also stopping at the Hoffman House. She firmly believes, as do all the others, that her husband was killed by the autopsy. She says that her husband had often told her to keep him two or three days after he was supposed to be dead, as he was subject to trances. She insists that Dr. Irwin had no right to perform an autopsy without the consent of herself or his mother.

or his mother. Dr. Irwin, who attended Bishop during his fit, Dr. Irwin, who attended Bishop during his fit, defends himself against the charge that an autopsy was held while the man was in a trance. He says that Bishop died of hystero catalepsy, followed by coma.

Being uncertain as to what caused death, he was unable to give a certificate without examination, so he obtained the permission of Measrs. Rit-hie and Thomas to make an examination and then secured the services of Dr. Ferguson, the eminent pathologist of St. Luke's, and Dr. Hance.

Hance.
Dr. Irwin says the claim that Bishop was not

There may be some trouble over Bishop's effects. It is undershoot that they are in the safe of the Lambs' Club. Both the wife and mother of the dead man are anxious toget them, not because of their pecuniary value, but as

keepsake of their pecuniary value, but as keepsakes. The value of Bishop's estate is as yet unknown, but it is said that in his will he has bequeathed \$50,000 to his child by his second wife, from whom he was recently divorced. The child is now fourteen years old and is attending school in Paris.

Steele Mackaye will be asked to make arrangements for the funeral.

A MODEL SPORTING EXTRA.

The Evening World" Will Issue It for the Million To-Day.

THE EVENING WORLD Sporting Extra will pre sent this afternoon : The best and fullest story of the Brooklyn Han-

The most complete and graphic report of the Cleveland-New York baseball game at States

Island. Don't fail to buy and read it. And if you are prevented from witnessing the

acing at Gravesena, or the ball-playing at St. Grorge, watch for the immediate announcemen of the result of the handicap and follow the production of the New York game on The Even-INO WORLD'S Baseball Bulletin Board.

PARIS AFFECTED BY THE STRIKES. A Coal Famine May Cut Off the City's Light and Fuel.

[BY CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.] LONDON, May 15 .- Although rioting has abated, the strikes continue to spread in Northern Germany. In Westphalia strikes are declared at mines

In Westphalia strikes are declared at mines hitherto undisturbed.

The non-production of coal is beginning to have its effect, and in Paris, which decends on the Westphalian mines for its supply, a ceal ramine is feared, which would result, first, in the failure of the gas supply, and would next affect a hundred industries.

In his fifteen minutes interview with the deputation of Westphalian strikers yesterday, the Emperor exhorted them to avoid rioting and preventing other men from working. He promised them protection as long as they keep the beace.

Socialists Drove Out Suspected Sples.

INY CARLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.] BEANE, May 15,-Two Germans who were present at a Socialist reunion at Zurich yester day and were suspected of being spies, were attacked by the crowd and narrowly escaped with their lives. The men were afterwards arrested, but will probably be released on condition of leaving the country.

The Gravesend Track Gayly Decked for To-Day's Great Race.

Thirty Thousand Spectators Expected to Hail the Winner.

Every Movement of the Favorites Watched by Admiring and Eager Eyes.

[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD,] BROOKLYN JOCKEY CLUB RACE TRACK, GRAVES-END. May 15. Just as every one in town with even the smallest drop of sporting blood in his veins leaped from bed to window this morning to take stock of the weather, so did the small army of superintendents, trainers, stablemen, touts and camp followers stationed about this track eagerly scan the heavens the instant their peepers unhitched to-day.



HANOVER For was not the great opening race of the season thus far to be run this afternoon, and were not the flower of the aristocratic thoroughbred studs of the country to fly over the track in the reat Brooklyn Handican ?

Neck and neck they would be for a little space. until one with a little purer strain, a triffe better loins or just a tiny scrap more bottom should outspeed its rivals and come tearing down the homestretch, nostrils red and dilating, eyes affame, muscles quivering but taut, amid the mad shouts of thousands of spectators gone wild with excitement.

EARLY ON THE TRACK.

The lovers of good sport began to assemble or the track early this morning, decked in all the the track early this morning, decked in all the finery the gala occasion rightly demanded.

They were seen about the stables studying for the fiftieth time the points of the noble-looking equines, and thence wandering over to inspect the course, that one could not help wondering if they had not slept under the neighboring fences all night.

CLOUDS POLLOWED BY SUNSHINE. The threatening clouds overhead were anathematized and supplicated to alternately if they would but hold back the waters contained in their sombre bellows. It looked as if Jupiter Pluvius did not have the heart to turn on the



TERBA COTTA. spigots, for faint streaks of sunlight struggled through the rifts and then, presto! the gaps in the clouds widened and a glimpse of old Sol's merry countenance sent a great rush of gladness through the hearts of all in and about the track

HANOVER HOLDS A LEVEE. The great son of Hindoo was, no doubt, a favorite. Many were the visitors to his quarters, admiring glances eagerly scanned his fine points, while a complacent smile spread over the countenances of those who had staked hat fuls of crisp greenbacks that he would be first over the line.

The beautifully ribbed up Terra Cotta and his

over the line.

The beautifully ribbed up Terra Cotta and his slender, clean-looking limbs, with race written in each super-sensitive muscle and tendon, was also the recipient of a great deal of attention, as his beauty and mettle merried. is beauty and mettle merited. Prince Royal was not slighted. As his power-



PRINCE BOYAL. ful-looking shoulders were commented upon, his delicate, almost transparent ears cocked forward inquisitively as he emitted a neigh of satisfied pride.

These three were the favorities of the betting people and the populace. The betters picked them to land their dollars for them, and their symmetery and beauty won the hearts of outsiders.

PEARS FOR M'LAUGHLIN. It was reported that Jockey McLaughlin, who was booked to mount Terra Cotta, fainted twice yesterday, and there were rumors that some other jockey might be substituted for him.

supplies on stitute for him.

Supplies ros 30,000.

Mr. John J. McGrath, who will see that no one need hunger or thirst while watching the racers prance over the track, has made preparations to meet all demands. He has supplies on hand to meet the requirements of 30,000 people, the estimate expert-put as the number who will be present at the great handicap race.



ELEWOOD.

The grand stand, which many think the fivest on the island, jooked even more attractive than usual, having been polished up with brooms, scrubbing-brushes and more with lead by an Amazonian army of Erin's daughters.
Flags which had lain carefully packed in cedar chests and salted down with camphor were shaken to the breeze let the first time this season. They floated from each pinracle. The greensward, which extends in a broad expanse of lawn in front of the stand, had been sprinkled afresh by Supt. Bush's men. THE TRACK IN FINE CONDITION.

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The track had also received much attention and was in the pink of condition. The pinkish stretch of hard bare earth was very fast. It bade tar to carry out its reputation of the fastest track in the country.

A till was created by the appearance on the track of secretary McIntyre, who arrived on the 10 o'clock train. The minute he reached his office, adjoining the cooling paddock, it was crowded by the throng of applicants for infor-

mation regarding the races. Trainers, owners and jockeys composed the motiey group.

Jere Dunn was a passenger on the same train with the Secretary. He also was a centre of attraction, but was proof against all wheedling importunities for tips. LOOKING FOR GOOD LUCK.

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One of the earliest arrivals from New York
City was one of its biggest speculators on horse
events. He was seen parading the pool lawn,
with downcast eyes, intently meditating. When
approached by Tak Evening Wobld Feroritar,
and questioned as to the cause of his absorption,
the reporter got no satisfaction.

A moment later he suddeuly paused, and
reaching down he pecked something from the
ground. The reporter, who was close at his
heely, discovered that he had found a fourleafed clover, the object of his search.

SCENES AT THE RETTING SHED.

SCENES AT THE BETTING SHED. The betting shed was the scene of much hustling as the betting men began to appear. While one portion were securing their stands the others were visiting the different stables and interviewing owners and trainers for a final tip on the respective races.



Arrangements have been made for six straight and six place mutuels. The paraphernalia of fifty bookmakers arrived on the grounds at an early hour this morning. The traps belonged to non-alliance bookmakers. Relays of books arrived by each train.

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Seventeen horses started, with Exile in the lead, who soon gave way to Fenelon, ridden by R. Williams.

At the seven-furlong post Exile and Fenelon dropped out and Dry Monopole, with Andy McCarthy up, took the lead, closely followed by Garrison on Blue Wing. Hidaigo, ridden by Hamilton, a close third.

In the last hundred yards it was neck and neck, but McCarthy put Dry Monopole to a tremendous spurt and came under the wire a short head in front of Bine Wing, who was the same distance before Hidaigo.

The time was 2,07, one-half second better than any previous record. Dry Monopole carried 100 lb.

On May 15, 1888, the track was muddy after recent rains, and only eleven horses started.

The Bard, carrying 125 lb. and ridden by W. Hayward, won by a length from Hanover, ridden by Jimmy McLaughlin.

Hanover and Saxony made the first half mile in 504s seconds, and the three-quarters in 1.17M. Then The Bard came to the front, and with Hanover, made the mile in 1.45%.

They came down the stretch neck and neck, but in the last hundred yards the our pounda heavier weight that Hanover carried told against him.

Hayward rode The Bard so close to Hanover that McLaughlin had no chance to use his whip at the fluish.

The time for each quarter was: First, 25s.; second, 254s.; third, 27s.; fourth, 284s.; fifth, 274s.

THREE HORSES SCRATCHED. Three horses were scratched this morning the infortunates being Gorgo, Marauder and Ningara.
This left the list at 11 o'clock as follows: Hanover, Terra Cotta, Elkwood, Belle B., Juggier, Prince Hoyal, Exile, Richmond, Connemara.

FAVORITES IN GOOD FORM.

The talk that shifted between the chances of the various horses indicates that Hanover, with George Taylor as his mount, is still first in the hearts of the betting men.

The sprained tendon which was "nerved" appears not to trouble the great flyer in the least. Terra Cotta is in primest fettle, as is also Juggler, by the way, is a puzzie to the betting men. He is an unknown quantity, but it is plain to see that he is regarded as a strong possibibily.

Prince Royalis third favorite after Hanover.
Andy McCarthy weighed 101 pounds last night, and will no doubt be down to weight at the proper time.

About moon the betting quarters became a perfect bee-hive in activity. Swarms of the curious stood gazing at the busy preparations gaing on as if they expected a tip to pop fulfiedged from one of the boys.

Graups of well-dressed sports argued pro and con ament their favorites.

"I tell you Juggler has the race, Hanover isn't init." A derisive shout would greet this wild assertion made in the heat of angry argument, and the breeze would bear to the ear a retailatory yell, like:

"Terra Cotta wins, hands down."

"I tell you I've got it straight."

TEAMS WITH GAY PARTIES.

TEAMS WITH GAY PARTIES. Handsome teams, too, began to arrive with gay parties of holiday occupants. It could be plainly seen that pleasure was the order of the day, Merry feminine laughter floated across the green plain from the vehicles, mingled with the hoarses guffaws of male escorts.

It was now buzzed about the track that plucky Jimmy McLaughlin was out running with layer upon layer of sweaters. He felt confident he could get down to weight and his nerve made every one wish him success. DR. MAY'S FIERCE STRUGGLE.

M'LAUGHLIN GETTING DOWN.

HE SAYS A DISTRACTED PATIENT TRIED TO SHOOT HIM.

Dr. William H. May, of 50 West Twenty-fourth street, claims to have had a struggle with a patient who was out of his head.

Frederick Kloeckner, a broker at 5 Wall street, and William L. Stewart, a printer at 156 William street, drove up to the doctor's house yesterday afternoon. Both alighted and Kloeck-ner outered the house. He told Dr. May he was worried over the loss of his child and had not slept for four nights.

The doctor turned to his medicines and, ac-cording to his account, when he again faced his patient, the latter had a revolver pointed at

patient, the latter had a revolver pointed at him.

A struggle ensued, and the doctor got nosession of the weapon. Kloeckner made a dash for the door and escaped.

Dr. May, with Stewart, went to the Jefferson Market Court yesterday afternoon and swore out a warrant for Kloeckner's arrest.

This morning Detective Brett, of the Nineteenth Precinct, went hunting for Kloeckner.

Dr. May refused to talk to an Evgniso Woald reporter when the latter called the morning.

Kloeckner could not be found at his house, No. 15-2 East Forty-eighth street, nor at his office. Stewart was seen, but he says that he knows nothing about Kloukner's motive for trying to shoot May. Kloeckner is a customer of his, and it was at his request that Stewart went along with him yesterday. He does not know what has become of Kloeckner.

Swindled the Chief Justice's Daughter.

(SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.) Chicago, May 15, - Chief Justice Fuller's daughter, Pauline, who lately cloped with young Aubery is out a five-dollar bill through the scheme of a very clever swindler. A man who called on Mrs. Aubery said there was a valuable nackage for her at the Custom-House on which she must pay \$14.98 charges before it could be delivered. She gave the fellow \$5, and her husband later gave her \$10 with which to pay the balance when the man brought the package. But he never brought it, nor has he called for the balance.

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PRICE ONE CENT.

SUICIDE OR MURDER.

A Man Found Drowned and Tied to an Iron Weight.

Taken Out of the Harlem River at Daybreak To-day.

He Was Young and Well Dressed, but His Name Is Unknown.

"Officer, sin't that a man in the water ?" The questioner was a man who had just crossed Harlem Bridge at 4,30 this morning, and his question startled Officer Ni olai, of the East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street station. The officer peered through the gray mist of

dawn down into the river beside the bridge.

Yes, unmistakably, it was a face that met his gaze, upturned. The officer got a boat and rowed out to the The officer got a boat and rowed out to the face. It was black and its owner was dead in less than five feet of water.

The dead wayon was sent for, the body taken out and removed to the Morgue. It was the body of a man of perhaps thirty years, but bloated and decomposed.

The man had evidently been handsome. He had soft, wavy brown hair, now dishevelled by the water, and a small brown mustache.

He was 5 feet 10 inches in height and wore a disgonal frock coat and vest, striped pants and light brown Spring overcost.

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It was a piece of angle iron, such as is used in strengthening joints on the L structure, and pierced with rivot holes.

It was 18 inches long and weighed 30 pounds. It had been wired to the leg of the man, and, oddly enough, the poor fellow had placed his gingham umbrella between the cruel iron and his leg.

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The iron would otherwise have hurt his leg.
In one of the pockets of the dead man was a well worn Swiss watch, such as ladies carry. It had a gold case, enamelled in black, and was No. 21,407 of the make of "E. Droz & Flis, Locle." There was no chain, and not a scrap of paper or writing on the body.

On his neck-scarf was a pin—an owl on a bar at one end of which was a star of gold; at the other a pearl.

Deputy Coroner Jenkins said the body had been in the water at least seven weeks.

The police cannot tell whether the case is one of murder or suicide.

It is likewise unknown until the autopsy is held whether he died by drowning or was anothered in the water atter death.

The iron which was attached to his leg may have been taken from the Elevated failroad repair shop, not far from where he was found.

Later the rollee came to the conclusion that the man bore some resemblance to Louis E. Rebellaz, who disappeared from his home at 343 East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street two weeks ago, and for information of whose whereabouts \$100 reward was offered.

Robellaz's relatives have been communicated with, but they have not yet visited the Morgue to identify the body.

WAR IN SUMATRA.

The Dutch Garrison at Edi Has Two Severe Battles with Natives. [BY CABLE TO THE PRESS NEWS ASSOCIATION.] LONDON. May 15 .- A . o .- t h from Penang announces that war has broken out again in Atcheen, Sumatra, between the Dutch and the

Malays. The natives in immense numbers made an attack on Edi, a port on the coast of Atcheen,

which was held by a small Dutch gargison.
Two assaults were made.
The first was repulsed after hard fighting.
In the second the garrison was nearly overpowered by numbers, but fought with desperation and finally succeeded in driving of the

The slender garrison lost five killed and twen-y-five wounded. The Malays left 160 dead on the ground. Reinforcements have been sent to Edi.

SHRODER'S MORBID FEARS. They Lend Him to Butcher His Wies and

Kill Himself. 'APPCIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD, Indianapolis, May 15.—John Shroder, a Ger-man grocer and saloonkeeper, of this city, at 5 o'clock this morning walked up behind his wife as she was standing with their nine-months-old

as she was standing with their nine-months-old infant in her arms, and with a drawn razor out her throat from ear to ear, killing her instantly. The baby was seriously injured by the mother falling upon it.

Shroder then walked across the street to a racent lot, where he out his own throat and d din a few mituats.

He was suffering from an insane freak and for some days had imagined that his family would come to want, though he was in comfortable circumstances.

A BRIDGEPORT HALL BURNED. And a Colored Man Under Suspicion of Having Set the Fire. INPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.

BRIDGEPORT. Conn., May 15.—A probably in-cendiary fire of this morning destroyed the large wooden structure known as Turner Hall, in Madison avenue.

Eli Cook, a colored man, is under arrest on suspicion of setting the fire.

The hall was owned by an incorporated company and contained the headquarters of several ocieties. The loss is about \$30,000.

BAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—The score in the six day match at 1 o'clock this morning was as follows: Albert, 480; Guerrero, 438; Crozier, 402; Peterson, 371; Campana, 317. Sam Randall Convalencing. IMPRICIAL TO THE EVENING WORKS, I

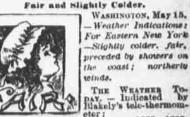
Albert's Score Climbing.

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WASHINGTON. May 15. - Sam Randall is on the rapid road to recovery, and expects soon to be out again. His sickness has lasted several

Two Bundred and Fifty Children Confirmed,

Two hundred and fifty children were confirmed by Archbishop Corrigan at the old cath-edral in Mott street this morning. Fair and Slightly Colder.



WASHINGTON, May 15. -Weather Indications: For Eastern New York -Stightly colder. fair, preceded by showers on he coast; northerly

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